APPENDIX III—*contd.*

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—

A.—55. (*a*) None.

(*b*) This does not arise in view of reply to (*a*).

MR. DODDALINGA NAIK (Minorities).—

Q.—56. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) The number of applications received from the graduates of the Naik (Bedar) community for the posts of probationers in the Excise, Police and Revenue Departments and the names of such applicants?

(*b*) Out of these applicants, who are those that have secured appointments and in what departments?

(*c*) If not, the reasons, if any, for not providing them with appointments?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.—

A.—56. (*a*) Excise 2
Police 1
Revenue 6

(*b*) Excise .... None.
Police .... None.
Revenue .... Mr. B. N. Sitharamiah was appointed as an Amildar.

(*c*) The appointments are made by selection of the most eligible candidates.

MR. JATHARE NAIK (Minorities).—

Q.—57. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) Whether they have been watching year after year the progress made by the Banajara (Lambani) community in their education ever since the extension of depressed classes' concession to them?

(*b*) If so, whether they will kindly communicate the result?

(*c*) The aggregate amount that is being provided every year (itemwar) for the improvement of the education of the depressed classes?

(*d*) Whether this amount is being distributed among the depressed classes in proportion to their population?

(*e*) Or by what other method?